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THE PRESIDENT

THE WHITE HOUSE

IT GIVES ME GREAT PLEASURE TO WARMLY CONGRATULATE YOU  
ON BEHALF OF THE GOVERNMENT AND THE PEOPLE OF AFGHANISTAN AS WELL AS  
ON MY OWN BEHALF ON THE OCCASION OF YOUR EXCELLENCYS  
ASSUMPTION OF THE HIGH OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENCY OF THE UNITED  
STATES OF AMERICA STOP I HAVE NO DOUBT THAT DURING YOUR  
PRESIDENCY THE EXISTING WARM CLOSE AND FRUITFUL RELATIONS AND

COOPERATIONS BETWEEN AFGHANISTAN AND THE UNITED STATES OF  
AMERICA WILL FURTHER GROW AND EXPAND TO THE MUTUAL  
BENEFIT OF OUR PEOPLES STOP I WOULD LIKE  
TO EXPRESS TO YOU AND THE FRIENDLY PEOPLE OF AMERICA MY  
PERSONAL BEST WISHES AS WELL AS THOSE OF THE  
GOVERNMENT AND THE PEOPLE OF AFGHANISTAN STOP  
MOHAMMADDAUD HEAD OF STATE AND PRIME MINISTER REPUBLIC OF  
AFGHANISTAN

